

Attorney Docket No. 02131/LH

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT  
AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s): A. MIYATA et al

Serial No. : 10/091,289

Filed : March 4, 2002

For : PRINTING SERVICE SYSTEM  
AND PRINT SERVICE METHOD

Art Unit :

Examiner :

**PETITION TO ACCORD CORRESPONDENCE FILING  
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(37 CFR 1.10(d) )**

Asst. Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

S I R :

This is a petition to accord the above-identified new U.S. patent application a filing date of March 4, 2002, which is the date the application papers were deposited with the USPS (United States Postal Service) for Express Mail delivery.

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1. The undersigned, the attorney in charge of the present application, learned on March 21, 2002, that the Patent Office accorded a filing date of March 5, 2002 for the present application. The return receipt postcard from the Patent Office was received in the office of the undersigned on March 18, 2002. During a routine check

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Attorney: Leonard Holtz

Dated: March 28, 2002

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2. Attached is a true copy of the first page (patent application transmittal letter) of the correspondence which was filed, showing both the date (March 4, 2002) on which this correspondence was mailed as Express Mail Label No. EV 044 465 440 US and that the number of the Express Mail was placed thereon prior to the to the original mailing.

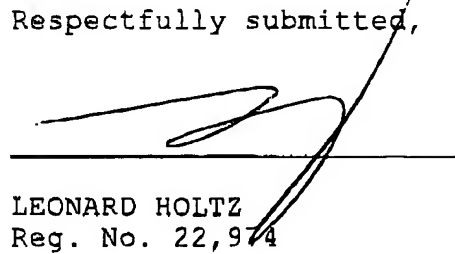
3a. Photocopy of PATENT OFFICE EXPRESS MAIL RECORD prepared by our office for Express Mails sent to the Patent Office, which indicates the contents of the envelope carrying Express Mail Label No. EV 044 465 440 US. This sheet shows that the present application (identified by our docket number 02131/LH and first inventor's name) was included in the Express Mail envelope mailed on March 4, 2002. The PATENT OFFICE EXPRESS MAIL RECORD came into being on March 4, 2002, the same day that the Express Mail package was dispatched to the Patent Office.

3b. Copy of USPS PICKUP SERVICE STATEMENT for five Express Mail envelopes (one of which contained the present application) picked up in our office by the United States Postal Service on March 4, 2002, signed by Cathy Bacon of our office (customer signature) and by Carmel Jean (USPS signature) showing a pickup time of 5:40 P.M. on March 4, 2002. (The office of the undersigned has a standing order for daily Express Mail pickups at our office by a USPS employee).

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Please charge the Petition fee of \$ 130.00 and any other fees which may be required, to Account No. 06-1378.

Respectfully submitted,



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Barbara Villani

Attorney Docket No. 02131/LH

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.53(b), transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

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Title: "PRINTING SERVICE SYSTEM AND PRINT SERVICE METHOD"

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Priority Claim (35 U.S.C. 119) is made, based upon:

Japan No. 2001-061848 filed March 6, 2001


Enclosed herewith are:

- [X] Specification (Description, Claims, Abstract): Pages 1 - 31 ; Number of claims 1 - 19
- [X] Declaration and Power of Attorney [X] executed; [ ] unexecuted (supplied for information purposes)
- [X] 13 Sheets of drawings, Figures 1A-12 [X] Formal [ ] Informal
- [X] Assignment and "Patents" Recordation Form Cover Sheet (PTO-1595) AND \$40. RECORDATION FEE.
- ASSIGNMENT INFORMATION FOR PUBLICATION:
- Casio Computer Co., Ltd.  
6-2, Hon-machi 1-chome, Shibuya-ku,  
Tokyo 151-8543, Japan
- [X] Certified copy (ies) of priority document(s) identified above
- [ ] Information Disclosure Statement; [ ] Form PTO/SB/08A
- [ ] Preliminary Amendment
- [ ] Applicant(s) Claim(s) Small Entity Status
- [X] Change of Correspondence Address (Form PTO/SB/122)
- [X] Receipt Postcard

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Total Claims	<u>19</u> - <u>20</u> =		<u>0</u>	x \$18.00 =	\$ <u>          </u>
Independent Claims	<u>8</u> - <u>3</u> =		<u>5</u>	x \$84.00 =	\$ <u>420.00</u>
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS				+ \$280.00 =	\$ <u>          </u>
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				Total of above Calculations	\$ <u>1,160.00</u>

To the extent not tendered by check, authorization is given to charge any fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 during pendency of the application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1378. Duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

FRISHAUF, HOLTZ, GOODMAN, LANGER & CHICK, P.C.

By:   
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Express Mail, Priority Mail, or Parcel Post****2. Customer Name and Address (No., Street, Ste. No., City, and State)**Frishauf, Holtz et al  
767 Third Ave - 25th floor  
NY, NY 10017-2022

3.

Express Mail

Quantity

Priority Mail

Quantity

Parcel Post

Quantity

**4. Custom Design Agreement (CDA)**

CDA Number \_\_\_\_\_

**5. Method of Payment**☐ Corporate Account

No. \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Federal Agency Account

No. \_\_\_\_\_

☒ Meter Strip or Stamps  
(Apply fee in item 1 above)**6. Express Mail Label Numbers**

Item No.	Express Mail Label Number	Item No.	Express Mail Label Number	Item No.	Express Mail Label Number
1	EV 044 465 440 US <sup>35</sup> <sub>delivered</sub>	6		11	
2	EV 1416 673 53 <sup>✓</sup>	7		12	
3	EL 574 114 365 US <sup>✓</sup>	8		13	
4	EL 016 925 295 US <sup>✓</sup>	9		14	
5	EL 759 777 395 US <sup>✓</sup>	10		15	

**7. Customer Signature**

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\*\*\* RX REPORT \*\*\*  
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RECEPTION OK

TX/RX NO	5408
CONNECTION TEL	212 319 5101
CONNECTION ID	
START TIME	03/28(TH)16:04
USAGE TIME	01'50"
PGS.	6
RESULT	OK

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☐ R137(b) Petition-----510  
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☐ 129(a) Submsn  
☐ Issue Fee  
☐ Drawings  
☐ Oath/Decl & POA  
☐ Ext Time ( )

☐ Associate POA  
☐ Terminal Disclaimer  
☐ Change of Address  
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☐ Oath/Decl. & POA  
☐ Rule 312 Amdt

Other Papers \_\_\_\_\_

3. Is paper a petition to withdraw holding of abandonment: yes no

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c. Assertion of timely payment of issue fee and/or submission of drawings:

Send petition to Office of Publications: ATTN: Tom Hawkins

d. Other \_\_\_\_\_

4. Other \_\_\_\_\_

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